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## CHAPTER 58

**The Centennial Centre of Science and  
Technology Act****1.** In this Act,Interpre-  
tation

- (a) "Board" means the Board of Trustees of the Centre;
- (b) "Centre" means The Centennial Centre of Science and Technology;
- (c) "Minister" means the Minister of Tourism and Information or such other member of the Executive Council as the Lieutenant Governor in Council designates. 1965, c. 12, s. 1.

**2.**—(1) The corporation without share capital known as The Centennial Centre of Science and Technology established on behalf of Her Majesty in right of Ontario is continued and the corporation shall consist of not fewer than sixteen and not more than twenty-six trustees. 1965, c. 12, s. 2 (1), *amended*. Centre established

(2) The Centre shall have a seal, which shall be adopted by the Board by by-law. Seal

(3) The fiscal year of the Centre commences on the 1st day of April in each year and ends on the 31st day of March in the following year. Fiscal year

(4) *The Corporations Act* does not apply to the Centre. 1965, c. 12, s. 2 (2-4). R.S.O. 1970, c. 89, not to apply

**3.**—(1) The Lieutenant Governor in Council shall appoint the trustees of the Centre who shall be its Board of Trustees, and shall designate one of them as chairman and one of them as vice-chairman of the Board. Appointment of trustees

(2) A trustee may be appointed for a term not exceeding three years, but may be reappointed for one or more further terms. Term

(3) The Centre may pay those of its trustees who are not officers in the public service of Ontario such remuneration and expense allowances as are from time to time fixed by the Lieutenant Governor in Council. Remuneration

(4) A majority of the trustees for the time being constitutes a quorum. Quorum

## By-laws

(5) The Board may, subject to the approval of the Minister, make by-laws regulating its proceedings and generally for the conduct and management of its internal affairs, and *The Regulations Act* does not apply to any such by-law. 1965, c. 12, s. 3.

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c. 410

Delegation  
to  
committees

(6) A by-law establishing a committee of the Board may delegate to the committee such powers and duties of the Board as are determined in the by-law. 1968, c. 10, s. 1.

Powers of  
Board

**4.—**(1) The affairs of the Centre shall be under the control of the Board, and the Board has all the powers necessary or convenient to perform its duties or achieve the objects of the Centre.

Responsible  
to Minister  
Chairman

(2) The Board is responsible to the Minister.

(3) The chairman shall preside at all meetings of the Board, and, in his absence or if the office of chairman is vacant, the vice-chairman has all the powers and shall perform the duties of the chairman. 1965, c. 12, s. 4.

Employees  
R.S.O. 1970,  
c. 386

**5.—**(1) A Director General of the Centre may be appointed under *The Public Service Act* and such other officers, clerks and servants as are considered necessary from time to time for the proper conduct of the business of the Centre. 1965, c. 12, s. 5 (1); 1968, c. 10, s. 2 (1).

Duties of  
Director  
General

(2) The Director General of the Centre shall have the management and administration of the Centre, subject to the supervision and direction of the Board. 1965, c. 12, s. 5 (2); 1968, c. 10, s. 2 (2).

## Objects

**6.** The objects of the Centre are,

- (a) to depict to the public and to conduct a program of education in the origins, development and progress of science and technology, and their relationship to society;
- (b) to depict the role of Ontario in the furtherance of science and technology;
- (c) to stimulate the interest of the public in matters depicted by the Centre; and
- (d) to collect and exhibit objects and displays and to maintain and operate a museum and related facilities for the furtherance of the objects of the Centre established as a project of Ontario in commemoration of the Confederation Centennial. 1965, c. 12, s. 6.

## Funds

**7.—**(1) The moneys for the purposes of the Centre shall be paid out of the moneys that are appropriated therefor by the Legislature.

(2) The Board may acquire money, securities or other property, real or personal, by gift, devise, bequest or otherwise, and may expend, administer or dispose of any such money, securities or other property in the promotion of its objects, subject to the terms, if any, upon which such money, securities or other property were given, devised, bequeathed, or otherwise made payable to the Board or to the Centre. 1965, c. 12, s. 7. Idem

**8.** The real and personal property, business and income of the Centre are exempt from all assessment and taxation made, imposed or levied by or under the authority of any Act of the Legislature. 1965, c. 12, s. 8. Exemption  
from  
taxation

**9.** The accounts and financial transactions of the Centre shall be audited annually by the Provincial Auditor, and a report of the audit shall be made to the Board and to the Minister. 1965, c. 12, s. 9. Audit

**10.** The Board shall make a report annually to the Minister upon the affairs of the Centre, and the Minister shall submit the report to the Lieutenant Governor in Council and shall then lay the report before the Assembly if it is in session or, if not, at the next ensuing session. 1965, c. 12, s. 10. Report

**11.—(1)** The Lieutenant Governor in Council may make regulations, Regula-  
tions

- (a) establishing one or more endowment funds in furtherance of the objects of the Centre, and governing such funds;
- (b) regulating and governing the use by the public of the facilities, property and equipment of the Centre;
- (c) requiring the payment of fees for the admission of the public or any class thereof to the Centre, and prescribing the amounts;
- (d) for any matter necessary or advisable to carry out effectively the intent and purpose of this Act.

(2) A person who contravenes a regulation made under subsection 1 is guilty of an offence and on summary conviction is liable to a fine of not more than \$100. 1965, c. 12, s. 11. Penalty

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